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ANGEL CHILDREN.

Is there any happier woman in this world than that mother whose each successive little one seems to her but one more darling angel to continually lift her thoughts toward the sunshine of perfect happiness? But sorry is the lot of that poor mother to whom motherhood has ceased to be a cause of rejoicing, but has become instead a burden to be dreaded and looked forward to with melancholy and apprehension.

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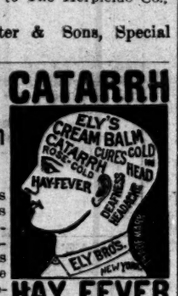


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### Mysterious Murder.

Charles A. Edwards, of New York, formerly president of the Passaic Chemical Company, of New Jersey, and more recently an officer of the General Chemical Company with an office in New York city, was mysteriously given a death wound from a pistol ball while lying in bed last night, the guest of his brother-in-law, Charles A. Hiller, in New Haven, Conn. So mysterious was the case from the outset that Deputy Coroner Pond opened an inquest at police headquarters, following a long and searching investigation at the Hiller home, 117 College street, almost directly opposite East Divinity, a dormitory of Yale.

Mr. Edwards was found dying in his chamber by Charles A. Hiller. He had retired about 11 o'clock Tuesday night after attending a birthday party in honor of his sister Mrs. Samuel Harris, who is a cousin of former President Timothy Dwight, of Yale. Early in the day he had come over from New York for this special purpose, and of late he had been a frequent visitor in New Haven, usually as a guest of either Charles A. or A. Maxey Hiller, both brothers-in-law. He retired apparently in the best of spirits. His failure to appear at breakfast led Charles A. Hiller to go upstairs. According to the latter, the chamber door was not locked, and going in he saw Mr. Edwards apparently unconscious from what was at first thought to be a stroke of apoplexy. It was, however, soon seen that he had been shot in the head.

The police believe that there had been a murder, and the investigation proceeded on this line. They found that the house had not been broken into forcibly, but an unbolted kitchen door, which the house servants claimed was securely fastened during the night, gave a possible clew that some one had passed out of the house by this means. There was no sign of a weapon.

The police state that the case probably will develop into one of the most sensational in the annals of crime in New Haven.

Mr. Edwards was about sixty years old and unmarried. He was a descendant of Jonathan Edwards, one of the early presidents of Yale, and was related to many families of distinguished ancestry.

### Disturbances in Hungary.

The disturbances Tuesday night at Debreczen, Hungary, on the arrival of the new prefect, M. Kovacs, were fully prearranged. The prefect only succeeded in ending the disorders and continued assault on himself by signing his resignation, which was read to the crowd by a committee of citizens.

The streets of Debreczen were placarded Saturday with a lengthy notice, part of which was as follows:

"We count upon you, citizens of Debreczen, to show today as in the past that Debreczen is the cradle of Hungarian liberty. No citizen of Debreczen shall serve this mercenary of a constitution-breaking administration. No coachman shall drive him, no hotelkeeper serve him, no merchant sell to him. His money is the wage of a Judas. None shall give him a bite to eat or a drop to drink, and he shall hunger and thirst like the beast of the desert. No house shall open its door to him. He shall find no place whereon to lay its head. He shall be banished from the society of men. Nobody shall return his greeting or answer his questionings. If he lose his way no one shall set him straight. He must be driven out from these holy walls of patriotic liberty and with him all those who help him. This for your information, citizens of Debreczen. Act accordingly."

The animosity of the people of Debreczen against the prefect is entirely impersonal and arises solely from the fact that he is an appointee of the crown.

A dispatch from Vienna, January 2, said:

"The new prefect of Debreczen arrived at the county seat at 7 o'clock yesterday evening. He is an old man, and when he saw the rough crowd at the station he decided not to leave the train. The crowd, however, recognized him, and he was hustled from the car and maltreated. He was thrown into a hearse that had been provided by the people to carry him from the station to his office. From the hearse the prefect was carried to a room fitted up like the cell of one condemned to death, and left there."


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**Admiral Rojestvensky's Charge.**

The remarkable allegation that the British fleet was held in readiness to destroy the Russian fleet if the battle of the Sea of Japan had gone in the Russians' favor made by Admiral Rojestvensky in a letter published in the Novoe Vremya of St. Petersburg yesterday with the permission of the Minister of Marine, has naturally created considerable sensation.

Referring to the absolute secrecy of Admiral Togo in regard to disposition of his forces, Rojestvensky declares that "this was unknown even to the admiral of the British fleet allied with the Japanese, who concentrated his forces at Weihaiwei in expectation of receiving an order to annihilate the Russian fleet if this, the final object of Great Britain was beyond the power of the Japanese."

According to Admiral Rojestvensky's account of his tactics in the battle published in the Novoe Vremya, the Russian commander outmaneuvered Admiral Togo at every point and was himself the real victor. He declares he knew Admiral Togo's exact whereabouts two days before the battle, made his dispositions accordingly and entered the fight with eyes open.

The admiral only casually states in the course of his letter that the Minister of Marine is investigating the causes of the catastrophe in order to determine whether the commander shall be court martialed for the loss of the fleet.

The charge that the British admiral concentrated his ships at Weihaiwei, expecting to receive an order to destroy the Russians in the event of Admiral Togo proving unequal to the task, has aroused a considerable sensation in diplomatic circles, all the more so as Admiral Rojestvensky's letter was published with the permission of the Minister of Marine, and no doubt is entertained that it will be made the subject of diplomatic representations to Great Britain.

Mr. Spring-Rice, the British Charge d' Affaires, without waiting for instructions from his government, demanded an explanation from Foreign Minister Lamsdorf yesterday afternoon of the statements contained in the admiral's letter to the Novoe Vremya.


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LEAVE WASHINGTON, D. C.—6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30: 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 p. m.

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THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 4, 1906.

THE FIGHT in the Senate against the bill embodying the administration's views on the regulation of railroad rates will, it is reported, be the most vigorous known in the body since the famous struggle of the democrats against the force bill in the fifty-first congress. This at least is the inference drawn from the talk among Senators who are opposing rate legislation, of whom Senator Foraker, is the leader. The Senators have prepared themselves to discuss the railroad rate bill at great length. Every phase of the question will be gone over in the minutest detail. The immense mass of testimony taken by the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce last spring and summer will be liberally quoted from and carefully analized. The records and decisions of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the decisions of the courts bearing on the former will be subjected to the same treatment by Senator Foraker and those who stand with him in opposition to further legislation for the control of railroads. Senator Foraker is said to have prepared himself to talk indefinitely on the questions involved. Mr. Foraker and his supporters of course disclaim any intention of attempting to filibuster against allowing the rate bill to come to a vote. But some of those who favor the enactment of legislation along the line of the President's recommendations assert that it is their belief a filibuster is really intended by the opponents of a rate bill. They also assert if tactics of this kind are resorted to by the opposition, equally radical tactics will be adopted by the supporters of the bill. It will be a fight to a finish and if necessary to bring the bill to a vote, it is hinted a move will be made to adopt cloture as a last resort. Such a move would almost certainly fail if made as it should, as it is extremely unlikely the democrats would depart from their traditional position of hostility to limiting debate in the Senate. But no attempt of this kind will be necssary it is said if a majority of the Senate is sincerely anxious for the passage of a rate regulation bill.

FOR REQUESTING a sergeant of artillery to change his seat at a theatre, First Lieut. Roy I. Taylor, of the coast artillery, is reduced in rank 12 numbers. He was tried by court martial last week and the verdict was announced yesterday. "It is hoped," states the decision, which is signed by Brig. Gen. Grant, "that the sentence of the court will leave no doubt in the mind of any one that the uniform of a soldier is a mark of honor which must be respected in the United States." It also stated that a sentence more severe than the one given is warranted. The theatre incident took place last October. Sergeant Patrick F. Butler, of Taylor's company, was seated in front of his superior officer at a performance at New London, Conn. Lieutenant Taylor was not in uniform. Near by were a party of friends whom he knew. To make a vacancy for one of them he told the sergeant to move. His words to the under officer, according to the printed verdict of the court martial, were: "Sergeant, you had better get your ticket changed and get your seat somewhere in the rear," or words to that effect. Taylor pleaded that in asking the sergeant to move he did not intend to convey the idea that he was ordering Butler to vacate his seat, but a wink is as good as a nod to a blind horse. Indeed, there is a growing disposition in this country by both army and navy officers to ride over both soldiers and civilians, which should be nipped in the bud.

THE present educational systems were attacked by Rev. E. A. Paddock, president of the Idaho Industrial Institute, in an address delivered before the co-operative class in the First Congregational church of Evanston, Chicago, last Sunday. The speaker declared the average college graduate is a complete failure when called upon to make his living by manual labor, and that the whole educational system tends to create a feeling of caste. He urged as a remedy that students be required to devote at least half of the day learning a trade. "I believe the social disorders which are prevalent in this country today arise from the fact that your system of education is all wrong," he said. There is much truth in Mr. Paddock's remarks that should be given grave consideration by educators generally.

MR. JOHN A. MCCALL has "made good" as to the "yellow dog" fund. He has not reimbursed the New York Life for the campaign contributions, but he has repaid the $235.000 that he let Andrew Hamilton have, and of the purpose of which he could not give a clear account. He said he would pay it back if he could not get it out of Hamilton, and the lobbyist's health prevents his refunding the money, as it prevents his returning to the United States.

## From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Jan. 4.

During the last year 508 wife beaters have come under the observation of the police in the District of Columbia and Representative Adams, of Pennsylvania, believes that this showing is recommendation sufficient for the passage of his whipping post bill. Mr. Adams called at the White House this morning. "When the President, the Commissioners and the Chief of Police of the District all indorse my bill, it cannot be laughed out of court," said Mr. Adams. "I am going to ask for an early hearing before the District of Columbia committee and believe that the measure stands a very good chance of passing."

Announcement was made at the War Department today that First Lieut. Frank I. Otis, a son of Col. Elmer Otis, formerly in command of Eighth cavalry, has been dropped from the army rolls for absence without leave for three months. Otis was under orders to proceed to San Francisco, to accompany his regiment to Manila and left New York about Sept. 30th, but failed to report at San Francisco and his whereabouts has since been unknown to the department.

Arthur O. Wallace, vice consul at Managua, Nicaragua, reports to the State Department that a terrific earthquake has destroyed the town of Masaya, in that country. The earthquake was caused by an eruption of the volcano San Dago.

The Dominican Minister to Washington, Mr. Joubert, called at the State Department this morning and had a conference with Secretary Root. He stated that he had received a dispatch from the Governor of Puerto Plata stating that General Demetrio Rodriguez, had been killed during the fighting outside of that city. Rodriguez has been on Morales' side during the present revolution, although he had announced that in case his party was victorious, he would himself stand for the presidency.

Houdini, a gentleman in the vaudeville profession who glories in the name of the "Handcuff King" and claims to be able to pick locks, break bars and generally puzzle the police at will, called at the White House this morning for the purpose of asking the President to allow him to take a try at the great vaults of the Treasury. He did not see the President and it is not at all likely that he will be given an opportunity to crack the safe where the gold reserve is kept. "I opened the great safe of the Czar's bank at Nijni Novogorod" said Houdini, "and the Kaiser's at Berlin. I should think the President would be interested in my experiment."

The House will not take up the question of Annapolis hazing until next week. The House committee on naval affairs has invited Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte to let them have his opinion on the subject, and he may be heard next week.

Senator La Follette has been assigned to the chairmanship of the committee to investigate the condition of the Potomac river front at Washington, in addition to six other committees.

The drydock Dewey is sailing along like an ocean liner, only going slower. The Navy Department received the following message today by wireless: "520 miles southeast Cape Henry. Weather glorious. Light southeast winds. Smooth sea. Speed four knots. Potomac goes Bermuda." The message was dated on the Glacier. The Potomac is the powerful ocean going tug which is convoying the tow. She will probably bring back from Bermuda the last fresh vegetables and other perishable supplies the ships and dock will have before they reach the vicinity of the Azores.

Nearly two hundred printers employed in the various printing offices in the city went out on strike at 8 o'clock this morning. There are two thousand printers belonging to the union, but most of them are employed by the government.

The rumor that Oscar Ricketts, assistant Public Printer, would shortly resign has again become current. Mr. Ricketts is in New York. It is said that with others he will establish a printing office in this city.

E. G. Rathbone, of Hamilton, O., who, while Director of the Posts in Cuba during the American invasion, was convicted of postal frands, has again carried to Congress his long fight for vindication, which was waged on his behalf by the late Senator Hanna up to the time of his death. His petition was presented today.

## Fifty-ninth Congress.

SENATE.

Washington, Jan. 4.

Escorted to the bar of the Senate by Mr. Spooner, the man to whom he had not spoken for years, Robert M. La Follette, ex-Governor of Wisconsin, took the oath of office as a Senator today. The leader of the so-called "half breeds," and the leader of the "stalwart" faction of the Badger State walked down the main aisle of the Chamber, with arms linked and smiles upon their lips. One not understanding the bitter feud that has existed between the two men would have imagined them the best of friends.

As the chaplain entered Mr. Spooner invited his colleague to a seat adjoining his. Immediately after the opening the taking of the oath followed. As the two men walked down the aisle the silence was such that the laughter of some of Mr. Spooner's most intimate colleagues could be heard throughout the chamber.

The galleries were crowded in honor of the event. In the reserved galleries Mrs. La Follette and members of her family and a score of Wisconsin admirers of her husband occupied prominent seats.

The intention of the minority members of the Senate to force a discussion of the Santo Domingo question outside of closed doors of an executive session was disclosed today by the presentation in open session by Mr. Tillman, of South Carolina, of the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the President be requested to inform the Senate if not incompatible with the public welfare, as to the existing status in Santo Domingo; whether or not President Morales carried his government with him when he disappeared from the capitol, or whether he left it behind, and whether the American officers who have been in charge of the custom house are still performing that work, and if so, under what authority."

Senator Spooner objected to immediate consideration, and it went over.

HOUSE.

The House adopted a resolution by Mr. Sims, of Georgia, instructing the committee on post offices and post roads to investigate whether members of Congress have abused the mail franking privilege, by sending cows, pianos, furniture, kitchen utensils, etc. free by mail, as alleged in a local newspaper.

The House today settled the dispute between the committee on ways and means and the committee on interstate and foreign commerce, both of which claimed jurisdiction over the President's recommendations governing insurance, by referring the question to the committee on the judiciary, with instructions to report as to the power of the federal government to regulate or control insurance.

Mr. Hepburn, chairman of the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce, today introduced his railroad rate regulation bill, widely advertised before hand. It is almost identical with the Dolliver bill, defines the term "transportation," so as to include all private, refrigerating and other cars, and gives the Interstate Commerce Commission the power to substitute "a just, reasonable and fairly renumerative maximum rate," for one found on investigation to be "unjust or unreasonable or unjustly discriminatory, or unduly preferential or prejudicial."

A joint resolution directing the president to negotiate with the powers for the neutralization of the Philippine Islands was introduced in the House taday by Mr. McCall. It sets forth that "it is frequently urged as a reason for refusing their independence to the Philippins Islands that some other nation would take the islands if the United States abandoned them."

## News of the Day.

The troops of the fugitive President Morales attacked Puerto Plata Tuesday, but were forced to retire.

Despondent because the young man she was soon to marry ignored her at a dance New Year's night, Daisy Richardson, a pretty twenty-year-old girl, ended her life at her parents' home in Benning, last night, by drinking carbolic acid.

Thomas Wickham, a mechanic, about fifty years of age, was burned to death during a fire which destroyed a small house on the farm of Thomas Magruder, near Glendale, Prince George's county, Md., Saturday last. All that was left of the victim's body was the trunk and a part of the head.

Mrs. Catherine L. Haywood, sister of Mrs. Chas. T. Yerkes, returned to Chicago yesterday from New York. She had been in attendance upon her sister and was present in the hotel apartment when a reconciliation was attempted but it was too late. She says Mr. Yerkes valued women as he did pictures, only when they were pleasing to the eye.

The trial of Midshipman Decatur came to an end at Annapolis yesterday, arguments being heard and the findings submitted to the superintendent. Lack of identification and the alibi claimed to have been established were dwelt on by the defense. The trial of Worth Wright Foster will begin today, and is expected to be more interesting even than that of Decatur.

News was received at Bristol yesterday of a cave-in at the lower Pine Ridge tunnel of the South and Western Railroad near Spruce Pine, N. C., in which three men were killed. The road is now in the course of construction, and work has just begun on this tunnel. The heavy rains Tuesday night caused the slide which swept over the mouth of the tunnel, killing three men and fatally injuring two others.

Gov. Glenn, of North Carolina, has made a requisition on the governor of Pennsylvania for N. L. Glenn, formerly of Forsythe county, charged with criminally assaulting six girls, aged from thirteen to seventeen years. He is alleged to have posed as a holiness minister. The warrant charges him with assaulting Rebecca Ellington, and Pearl Hairstone, aged fourteen years, also is named as a victim. Mary Hairstone alleges that Glenn induced her husband to leave her.

A dispatch from Pittsburg says: "Employed as a domestic servant in this city in preference to marrying a rich old man whom she did not love, but whom her uncle insisted she should marry, Katherine Gray, daughter of former State Senator Asbury Gray, of Virginia, has resigned her situation as a housekeeper in a family to go South and claim her father's fortune of from $300,000 to $500,000, long supposed to have been lost or stolen, but now recovered and awaiting her as sole heiress."

Commissioner Koiner has strong hopes of getting a bill through the legislature appropriating $10,000 for immigration. His plan is to send agents direct into the countries furnishing the most desirable classes of labor and make known the advantages offered. His correspondence with England has been particularly satisfactory. There are said to be 2,000.000 unemployed in England, who are near the starvation point, and correspondence with the British authorities indicates that many of these unemployed persons could be induced to settle in Virginia.

The Maryland Senate and the House of Delegates organized by electing the officers nominated at caucus meetings of the democratic members. The organization men in the House were very anxious, fearing a deal between the Queen Anne's independents and the republicans which would prevent the election of Mr. Benson as speaker, so they sent a committee on a special train after Mr. Meyers, of Carroll county, and took him to Annapolis from a sick bed. As soon as it was certain that Mr. Meyers was on hand and the democratic organization could elect its caucus nominees Congressman Mudd gave his consent to its going ahead.

### Preparing for Eventualities.

A dispatch from Berlin says that the railway administration placed orders last week for 20,000 freight cars, at a cost of $50,000,000, with manufacturers of five countries, stipulating delivery by the middle of February, besides utilizing the car works of Germany. The contracts were distributed among makers in Belgium, Holland, Switzerland and Italy, which would not have been done unless some reasons for haste existed.

Inquiries made regarding the reasons for urgency resulted in obtaining the statement that the ordering of the cars was a precautionary measure, the general staff desiring to be ready to move troops if necessary by the first of March. This is only a proper measure of prudence, it was affirmed, in view of the extensive military arrangements going on in France, which among other dispositions include the movement toward the German frontier of six regiments of artillery, or 180 guns.

The ordering of these feight cars, each of which would accommodate forty soldiers or would enable the authorities to transport material, is only in consequence of the French preparations, it is asserted, and must not be taken to indicate any hostile design on the part of Germany, whose peaceful intentions remain unchanged.

## Virginia News.

Mr. Wm. Leadon, of near Widewater, Stafford county, died at his home Tuesday, of Bright's disease, in the 84th year of his age.

Joseph Etheridge, 15 years old, was indicted by the Norfolk county grand jury yesterday on a charge of criminal assault on Lila Miller, 11 years old.

President Loubet has promised President Harry St. George Tucker that France would be represented at the Jamestown Exposition by a squadron.

The marriage of Miss Harriet Aldridge Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Gibson, of Loudoun county, to James Fraser, of Georgetown, S. C., took place yesterday at the bride's home, near Waterford.

In the presence of a large gathering at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church at Middletown, Miss Maud Emily Keith, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George G. Keith, of Frederick county, Virginia, was married to Mr. Bradley T. Johnston, a farmer of Warren county.

In his annual message to the City Council, Mayor Harry H. Baker recommends the abolition of the Corporation Court of Winchester, on the ground that it is an unnecessary expense. An effort was made to abolish this court by the last Virginia constitutional convention, but influences were brought to bear which prevented it.

The General Assembly meets at noon next Wednesday. As Lieutenant-Governor J. Taylor Ellyson's term of office does not commence until February 1, Senator Henry F. Wickham, President pro tem. of the Senate, will act as Lieutenant-Governor until that time. Judge Mann, of Nottoway, will continue as chairman of the caucus and the steering committee.

By practically unanimous vote the Virginia Pharmaceutical Association, in special session in Richmond yesterday, rejected both the so-called pharmacy bill and the proposed measure designed to regulate the sale of patent and proprietary medicines in the State, and referred the entire matter to committees, which will not report until after the General Assembly has adjourned.

On the 12th of January, the Court of Appeals will hold another examination of applicants for licenses to practice law. Already a large number of young men have notified Clerk Stewart Jones of their intention to "face the music" and many more are expected to undergo the ordeal. All applicants should inform the court of their intention to try the examinations before January 6.

It is probable that at the coming session of the legislature there will be laws enacted to prevent combination by insurance companies doing business in this State. Several years ago the Wharton bill, making it a felony for the insurance companies or their representatives to combine for the purpose of fixing rates, was passed. The companies are alleged to have again combined.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant this week to citizens of this State of the following patents: Francis M. Ball, Falls Church, toy pistol; Walter L Broadwell, South Norfolk, collapsible table; John T. Delk, Ivor, peanut thresher; Thomas F. Mason, Colonial Beach, windlass; Osmond A. Osmondson, Richmond, bill file and cabinet, and Christopher C. Boykin, Norfolk, souvenir-cradle (design).

John B. Moon, of Charlottesville, chairman of the Virginia Debt Commission, who has charge of the settlement with the certificate holders of West Virginia's part of the debt, left tonight with Secretary Joseph Button for New York, where the final papers in connection with the controversy will be submitted to the policy-holders. The holders of the securities will accept as full payment whatever may be awarded by the courts in adjudicating the matter, relieving this State of all part of the debt. The suit will be brought in the name of Virginia.

In electing the Circuit Court judges the General Assembly which meets on Wednesday next will be confronted with only two warm contests. They are in the Mathews circuit and the circuit composed of Bedford, Roanoke and Lynchburg. The straightout democrats of Norfolk county will seek to defeat Judge Portlock, because of his affiliation with the fusion regime. Every member of the legislature from Norfolk county is in sympathy with Judge Portlock, and their recommendations will elect him in the caucus. Judge Taylor Garnett and Mr. Claget are the aspirants for the Mathews circuit bench, while in the Lynchburg-Bedford-Roanoke circuit Judge Moomaw is opposed by several candidates, among whom is Randolph Tucker, of Bedford. These contests will be the feature of the judgeship fights.

### Death at a Fire.

Springfield, Mass, Jan. 4.—In a fire which entirely destroyed the Highland Baptist Church, last night, Captain Sidney Bowers lost his life, and Frank Hines, a call man, received burns from which he died early this morning. Both of the injured men were caught by the falling of the roof of the chapel. It is believed that the blaze was of an incendiary origin. The loss is about $70,000.

### Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflammed portion of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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### DIED.

At his residence, 916 Cameron street, Alexandria, Va., January 3, 1906, DANIEL RUBEN, aged 47 years. Funeral tomorrow (Friday), January 5, at 2 p. m., from residence.—[Baltimore papers please copy.

January 3, 1906, after a lingering illness, Mrs. SARAH PEVERILL, aged 92 years, 1 month and 11 days. Her funeral will take place from her late home at Four-mile-run tomorrow (Friday) morning at 11 o'clock. Friends of the family invited.

## Today's Telegraphic News

### Would-be Assassins Arrested.

New York, Jan. 4.—A special cable to the World from St. Petersburg says that an anarchistic plot to assassinate the Czar at Tsarskoe-Selo has been discovered. Several artillery officers, men who have been most trusted and upon whom the Czar relies for his personal safety, are implicated. The chief conspirators are a student named Wasdiljeff, son of a professor in St. Peterburg University, and a student named Altonowski, son of a high judge in the Russian capital. The students and officers have been arrested. The plot was discovered only in time to prevent its being carried into effect. One of the officers lost a carefully drawn and very accurate plan of the palace at Tsarskoe-Selo, where the Czar and his family live. The ownership of the plan was traced to the officer, and a confession was extorted from him which led to the other arrests.

### Collision in Fog.

New York, Jan. 4.—The heavy fog which hung over the North River this morning was responsible for a collision between the ferry boats Passaic, of the Erie line, and the Binghamton, of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western line, off Charlton street. The Passaic was seriously damaged and the 300 passengers on the ferry were thrown into a great panic. So far as known, only one man, an Italian porter on the Passaic, named Nicola Carlo, was badly hurt, although there is some doubt whether a passenger on the Passaic was knocked overboard and drowned. Many of the passengers were badly bruised and all were shaken up. In the panic following the collision several persons were crushed as the crowds rushed to get out of the cabins, but there were no other serious accidents.

### Senator Depew.

New York, Jan. 4.—Senator Chauncey M. Depew says that the statement in the morning papers relative to his retirement on his seventy-second birthday from the companies with which he is at present associated is misleading. He says that the statement omits to mention the fact that his purpose is to retain his position with the Vanderbilt lines which, he explains, is largely honorary, and which will not prevent him devoting full attention to his duties in the United States Senate. Senator Depew did not go to Washington today. His niece, Miss Paulding, said it was not known just when he could go. That the Senator is still ill, was attested by the fact that his physician called on him again today. It was stated, however, that Mr. Depew was not seriously sick.

### Shoots Her Husband.

Altoona, Pa., Jan. 4.—In a frenzy of fear, Mrs. Elizabeth Berwick, aged 33, it is charged, yesterday shot her husband, Robert Berwick, aged 50, in the face with a revolver, probably fatally wounding him. He is in the hospital in a critical condition, while she is in jail. The pair, who came here from Connellsville some months ago, quarreled over some trivial thing, and he is said to have struck her on the head with his dinner bucket, having just returned from working all night as brakeman in the Pennsylvania yards. She ran, screaming, upstairs, and he followed with a broomstick. Snatching up a revolver lying in her trunk, she fired at him. He reeled and fell downstairs. The bullet lodged in his throat, and the wound is deemed exceedingly grave.

### Conditions in Russia.

London, Jan. 4.—A dispatch to the Central News from St. Petersburg says that the mission of General Orloff, who was sent to the Baltic provinces to restore order, has been completed successful. The insurgents have surrendered their arms and order has been restored.

The Samara-Slatout railway is reported to be in the hands of the revolutionists. Great anxiety is felt in regard to to what is taking place in Siberia. All communication is being suspended beyond Omsk. It is stated that the deficit in the budget for 1906 will reach the figures of 581,000,000 roubles.

### France and Venezuela.

Paris, Jan. 4.—The French government is greatly incensed because of the slight put upon it by President Castro of Venezuela in failing to invite M. Taigny, the French charge d'affaires at Caracas, to his reception on New Year's Day, given to members of the diplomatic corps. It has been decided to ask the United States to discontinue the efforts it has been making to arrange an amicable settlement of the differences between Venezuela and France unless President Castro gives full and prompt satisfaction to France for the slight thus inflicted upon her.

### Jews Warned.

St. Petersburg, Jan 4.—In receiving a deputation of Jews yesterday Premier Witte told the delegation that he had been informed that money collected in England and America for the relief of Russian Jews had been used in the organization of armed revolution. The members of the deputation vigorously denied that such was the case. Count Witte, however, warned the Jews to refrain from agitation and avoid the revolutionists or otherwise they could not hope for any improvement in the position of Jews throughout Russia.

### Requisition Papers Issued.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 4.—The Governor of North Carolina has issued requisition papers on the Governor of Pennsylvania for a white man named N. L. Glenn, formerly of Forsyth county, North Carolina, and who is now under arrest at Pittsburg, charged with assault on two white children in this State, one under fourteen years. The crime is a capital one in North Carolina. The deputy sheriff of Forsyth is now on his way to Pittsburg for the prisoner.

### England will Demand Explanation.

Birmingham, Eng., Jan. 4.—The Post says it has the best authority for stating that in the event of the Algeciras negotiations not being held in regard to Morocco, England will demand a statement from Germany as to her policy regarding several vital points. In view of the existence of the Anglo-French agreement to give France a free hand in Morocco a serious situation is almost certain to arise in case of the failure of the negotiations.

### New York Stock Market.

New York, Jan. 4.—There was continued irregularity in the market in the first hour. The railroad stocks were in good demand and were not influenced to any great extent by the fall in the copper shares nor by the efforts to attach extreme importance to the coming Morocco conference.

### The Cadets' Court Martial.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 4.—The hazing court martial at the Naval Academy today began the third of the series of cases of midshipmen, first class, charged with the hazing of under-class men. The case now under trial is that of Midshipman Foster, of Indiana, for the alleged hazing of Midshipman Roberts, of Illinois, a member of the fourth class.

Previous to the opening of this case, the court followed the usual formality of approving the record of the previous day's session in the Decatur trial.

The court then made a final review of the record in the case of Trenmor Coffin, jr., of Nevada, third class, who was tried for hazing Midshipman Kimbrough, of Tennessee, fourth class. After reviewing the record in the presence of Coffin, the court proceeded with the trial of Foster.

E. S. Theall, of Washington, who has conducted the defense in the previous cases, is also counsel for Foster.

There are four specifications in the charge against Foster. Mr. Theall moved to strike out the first, second and fourth specifications, the objection being raised because of the nature in which they were prepared; that is, not stipulating certain time and place as to where the offenses were committed. Foster is charged first, with having compelled Roberts to suspend himself from a locker; second, to stand on his head about fifty times; third, to get beneath a mess table and fourth, to eat his dessert under said table.

To the charge and each of the specifications Foster pleaded not guilty.

Midshipman Roberts was sworn and identified Foster. He was asked to state any circumstances of having been hazed by Foster and replied that he could not state definitely. Roberts appeared to be rather nervous and was cautious in giving his testimony. "After getting on my head about 25 or 50 times, "he said, "I was told to do the 16th. Then I was made to hang from the locker by my hands."

While at mess, he said, he was ordered to get under the table and said he recognized the voice as that of Foster. After getting under the table he said, his desert was handed him by Midshipman Rice and Campbell on two occasions, and he was made to eat it under the table

### Rodriguez Killed.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Jan. 4.—Reports received here today from Santo Domingo state that General Demetric Rodriguez, who commanded the Morales troops in the fighting which has occurred near Porto Plata, has been killed. Rodriguez had announced that if his attack on Porto Plata proved successful he would set himself up as a candidate for President of Santo Domingo. The Morales troops were repulsed in their attack on Porto Plata by the Caceres forces under General Cespedes. Later Cespedes attacked General Rodriguez's position outside Porto Plata. Many men were killed and wounded on both sides, and the battle resulted in the defeat of Morales troops.

### Declined to Postpone Execution.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Governor Higgins has declined to postpone the date—week beginning January 21st, set for the execution of Albert T. Patrick. The Governor said today that he had written to Patrick's attorneys, who called upon him yesterday, informing them that in view of the long time that has elapsed since Patrick was convicted, 1900, he believed that further delay purely for the purpose of raising technical legal questions would not be in the interest of justice.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A dispatch from London says that Harrison W. Weir, the artist, author and journalist, is dead.

Harper and Brothers, a prominent member of the New York Typothetae, today signed the agreement with the local Typographical Union for a forty-eight hour week, and "closed shop." The printers will return to work this afternoon.

In a rear end freight wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad one mile this side of Chester, Del., this morning, one man lost his life, two were painfully injured and one dozen freight cars and their contents consumed by fire which followed.

The opinion is unanimous in well-informed Berlin Bourse circles that the negotiations for the amalgamation of the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd steamship lines have advanced to such a point that their conclusion is only a matter of time.

A dispatch from Spartanburg, S. C., says that Rev. E. B. Bomar, of Richmond, Va., has resigned as corresponding secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist convention. Dr. Bomar, who is visiting there, says he took the step on account of declining health.

Charles S. Guthrie, the well-known steel magnate and chairman of the board of directors of the Republic Steel and Iron Company, died at Salisbury, N. C., today. The cause of death was an attack of appendicitis.

### Railroad Extension.

Plans are being made to extend the Valley Branch of the Baltimore and Ohio from Lexington to Salem, in accordance with plans made 25 years ago. The city of Baltimore has over $1,000,000 invested in the stock of the road.

A dispatch from Roanoke says:

"Baltimore is to have a direct railway connection with Roanoke and the rich southwest section of the Old Dominion. This will be made possible by the building of 75 miles of road by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, 35 miles of which will be on almost a perfectly level stretch of country through Shenandoah and Rockingham counties, paralleling the Southern Railway between Strasburg and Harrisonburg.

"At Harrisonburg the Baltimore and Ohio will take its own tracks, which run now from Harrisonburg to Lexington, a distance of 60 miles. At Lexington the Baltimore and Ohio will commence laying rails on a graded roadbed that runs from that point to Salem, a distance of 40 miles. Salem is six miles from Roanoke.

The B. & O. will bring its main line to Roanoke, and give Salem a spur.

### Indigestion Overcome.

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### Predicts State Bankruptcy.

Mr. John F. Ryan, of Loudoun, ex-speaker of the House of Delegates, in a letter to the Free Lance, of Fredericksburg, published today, in advocating his bill for the reduction of taxes, which will come before the next Legislature, warns the Legislature against making State appropriations for public roads. In conclusion he says: "If the Legislature departs from what has heretofore been the policy of this State and appropriates money for the public roads, I believe that it will eventually lead to bankruptcy."

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WEST BROTHERS BRICK CO. will be held at the office of of the company, Room No. 2, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 12 m.

WILLIAM D. WEST, Secretary.

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NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF THE LATE JOSEPH S. BEACH.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1906,

at my office, in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 10 a. m., as the time and place where I shall receive all claims against said estate for the purpose of settling the accounts of R. H. Cox, administrator of said estate, at which time and place you are requested to attend.

EUGENE B. TAYLOR,

Commissioner of Accounts of Corporation Court, No. 118 south Fairfax street.

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA—Department of the State Corporation Commission. This is to certify, That the charter of HARMON S. PALMER HOLLOW CONCRETE BUILDING BLOCK COMPANY was amended on the 29th of December, 1905, reducing its maximum capital stock from two million dollars to five hundred thousand dollars; and that the said amended charter was recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth on the 29th day of December, 1905.

Witness my hand as Clerk of the State Corporation Commission this 3rd day of January, 1906. JOHN A. UPSHUR,

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THURSDAY EVENING. JAN. 4, 1906.

## Local Matters.

### Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and colder tonight and Friday; fresh westerly winds.

### Fatal Accident to Mr. D. Ruben.

Mr. Daniel Ruben, of the firm of M. Ruben & Sons, furniture dealers, fell down anelevator shaft at the store, northwest corner of King and St. Asaph streets, about 5 o'clock yesterday evening and sustained injuries from which he died at 11:45 o'clock last night

Mr. Ruben was on the first floor of his place of business standing with his back to the freight elevator opening, and was engaged in talking to some employees who were on the third floor, when he fell through the opening to the basement. Mr. Ruben's head struck the concrete floor. His brother, Mr. Leopold Ruben, and others in the store hastened to his assistance and removed him to the first floor. Dr. Klipstein and Dr. Jones were summoned and both physicians were soon doing all they possibly could for the injured man. It was, however, apparent that surgical skill was impotent in his case, as the skull was fractured, the unfortunate man was unconscious and he was paralyzed. Blood flowed freely from one of his ears, and it was seen that his death was merely a matter of a short time.

Mr. Ruben was later taken to his home, where he was attended by Drs. Klipstein and Smith, of this city, and a specialist from Washington. As stated above, his death followed at 11:45 o'clock last night.

Mr. Ruben was subject to vertigo, and some think his fall was due to it. Others, however, are convinced that his death was due to an accident, he having backed too near the elevator opening while talking to the men on the third floor.

The deceased was a well-known and popular citizen, and his death and the circumstances in connection with it have brought forth earnest expressions of regret from all who knew him. He was a son of the late M. Ruben and came to Alexandria with his parents when he was a small child. He grew up with Alexandria boys, attended school with them and upon reaching manhood mingled with the people of his adopted city in fraternal and social life and interested himself in everything destined for the city's good. He was a Past Regent of Alexandria Council, Royal Arcanum, a member of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, of Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons and of Alexandria Lodge of Elks. The deceased was about 47 years old.

The members of his family have the sincere sympathy of their many friends and acquaintances in their sad bereavement.

### Old Long Bridge.

Representative Rixey, of Virginia, and several brick manufacturers of Alexandria county called on Gen. Mackenzie, chief of engineers, at the War Department yesterday and asked his co-operation in a movement to prevent the removal of the old Long bridge and its connecting causeway until the new highway bridge and its approaches are entirely completed. As a result of the conference and as a means of meeting the exigencies of the situation, it was arranged that Representative Rixey should introduce a bill in Congress at the earliest possible moment extending the time limit for the removal of the Long bridge a year from February 12 next. In that way it is hoped to remove all doubt as to the duties of the authorities in the matter and at the same time allow time for improving the Washington approaches to the Highway bridge so as to meet the requirements of the heavy traffic from Virginia.

### Columbia Fire Company.

The annual meeting of the Columbia Fire Company was held last night when the following officers were elected:

President, Wm. A. Smoot; First Vice President, Geo. Uhler; Second Vice President, Wm. K. Griffith; Secretary, N. C. Treakle; Assistant Secretary, C. R. Herbert; Treasurer, Edward Hughes; Executive Committee, Chas. Duffy, Geo. Uhler and E. S. Leadbeater; Foreman, J. F. Pettey; Commander, Jno. Travers; First Assistant Commander, Edward Fornshill; Second Assistant Commander, R. L. Merchant; Axemen, J. L. Duffy and Robert Cline; Pipemen, E. Mc Dermot, L. Millan, H. Murray, H. Sutton, C. Phillips and H. Lungsford; Hosemen, P. Hall, U. Roberts, F. Mansfield, Geo. Crump, E. Craven, E. Rogers and T. Tharp; Firemen of Engine, Wm. Craven, N. C. Treakle, F. L. Entwisle and E. Rogers.

### District Sewage.

The Commissioners of the District of Columbia yesterday prepared a report upon the House bill, introduced at the instance of citizens of this city, providing for a change in the sewer of the District of Columbia disposal plant. The proposition is to extend the sewer about six miles down stream from Magazine Point, nearly opposite Alexandria. The report of the Commissioners to Congress will be based upon the statement submitted to them several days ago by Superintendent McComb, of the sewer department. According to this report, a difficulty would be the necessity for an additional pumping station at Magazine Point, to raise the sewage to a six-foot higher level. It is understood the Commissioners will disapprove the bill,

### The New Norfolk Line.

The Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, through Nimmo Old, its Norfolk manager, has awarded the contract for the new wharf that will be constructed on its City Hall Avenue water-front, and which will be used jointly by the Seaboard Transportation Company as a terminal for its steamers to ply between Norfolk and Washington. The new wharf will be built by Anheuser-Busch for their own use, but arrangements have been perfected by the new Norfolk-Washington steamer line, giving the latter the privilege of using it. The Seaboard Transportation Company already has established an office in Washington, and representatives are in Norfolk for the purpose of perfecting preliminaries to begin active operations.

The First National Bank has gotten out a very handsome and well arranged calendar, desirable not only for the counting room, but for the home.

### Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Peter Sims and John Lucas, both colored, arrested by Officers Young and Mayhugh charged with selling liquor on Sunday and without a license, were dismissed.

William Levell, colored, arrested by Officer Garvey charged with assaulting Gertie Levell, was fined $5.

Andrew Harris, colored, arrested by Officers Bell and Henderson charged with assaulting Alice Harris, was fined $2 50.

Alice Washington, colored, arrested by Officers Knight and Nicholson charged with assaulting Thos. Burden, had her case continued.

Ethel Williams, colored, arrested by Officer Roberts charged with assaulting and cutting Alice Harris, also colored, had his case continued.

Alice Harris, colored, arrested by Officers Bell and Henderson charged with disorderly conduct and fighting was fined $2.50.

A young man, who was charged with withholding money belonging to a merchant, was dismissed, the charge having been withdrawn.

### Legislative Personnel.

The Richmond News-Leader in its sketches of members of the legislature which meets next Monday says:

Colonel James R. Caton of Alexandria, who had served as chairman of the House committee on general laws for several sessions, and who has developed a capacity for work that excited the admiration of the members, comes back for another term. He has almost entirely recovered his health and will be one of the prominent men in the work of the House this session.

Robert E. Lee, jr., of Fairfax, who has never had any opposition of consequence, who is one of the most delightful members of the House, will tower above the rest of his colleagues as heretofore. There is about 350 pounds of him and he is the life of his circle of members.

Thomas H. Lion, of Prince William, is another of the men who has little to say, yet, when he does rise to make an address he invariably has something to say. He has made himself known in the hall of the House.

### Meetings.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Geo. W. Knox Express Company held today, directors were elected as follows: J. J. Darlington, G. V. Knox, J. O. Knox, J. Gittings and W. S. Knox. Officers were elected as follows: W. S. Knox, president; G. V. Knox, vice president; J. O. Knox, treasurer; J. Gittings, secretary, and J. J. Darlington, attorney.

The annual meeting of the National Rifles Hall Association was held in this city today for the purpose of electing a board of directors.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Savings Mutual Building and Loan Association to have been held last night was postponed until Monday night next on account of the inclemency of the weather.

### Sudden Death.

Patrick W. Buckner, colored, died suddenly in the press room of the Gazette office shortly after four o'clock yesterday evening. The deceased had been suffering from pulmonary troubles for some time. He had a half hour before been attacked by hemorrhage which soon rendered him unconscious. Dr. Klipstein was summoned and attempted to resuscitate him, but his death soon followed. The deceased was 35 years old. He had been employed in the Gazette press room since boyhood, had always proved faithful and respectful and when death overtook him he was engaged in the discharge of his duties. He leaves a widow, but no children. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late residence.

### Friendship V. F. A.

The annual meeting of the Friendship Veteran Fire Association was held last night when the following officers were elected: President, E. E. Downham; vice president, F. J. Paff; treasurer, W. T. Emerson; secretary, J. Y. Williams; trustees, A. D. Brockett, J. F. Webster, J. H. Trimyer; committee on engine, P. F. Gorman, Fred. Hidszoneit, J. T. Webster; committee on applications, Benj. Wheatley, P. M. Bradshaw, W. M. Ballenger. A movement was inaugurated toward having a parade on the Twenty-second of February. The meeting was one of the largest ever held by the association.

### Application Declined.

Governor Montague has declined to act upon an appointment for a pardon to Richard C. Burnett, who last summer was fined $300 and sentenced to serve one year in jail in this city. Burnett has served five months of his term and is said to be in bad health. His attorney, Mr. L. H. Machen, and friends set forth these facts in their application for his pardon, but the governor has declined to act for the present and in a conversation over the 'phone today with Mr. Machen said he would hold the matter open until next week when Mr. Machen will go to Richmond to resume his senatorial duties.

### Installation of Officers.

At the regular meeting of Mary Washington Council, No. 4, D. of A., held Tuesday night, the following officers were installed by Deputy National Councilor, James Foster: Levi Allen, J. P. C.; Mary F. Byrne, A. J. P. C.; E. C. Reeves, Councilor; Martha Byrne, A. C.; Mrs. Annie Hepburn, V. C.; Emma DeSilva, A. V. C.; Bertha Treakle, Warden; H. E. Baulett, Conductor; A. B. Bondurant, Inside Sentinel; Ervin Haywood, Ouside Sentinel. After the meeting closed the council retired to Rammel's Hotel and participated in an oyster feast.

### Dr. Gorman to Install Officers.

District Deputy Supreme Knight E. A. Gorman, of Alexandria, will install the newly elected officers of Richmond Council, Knights of Columbus, at a meeting to be held in Lee Camp Hall tonight This ceremony is most interesting, and Dr. Gorman has already attained quite a reputation for the ability with which he has filled high offices in the order. A large attendance of the members is earnestly desired. At this time Richmond Council is in a flourishing condition, and the membership now only lacks three of the 300 mark—]Richmond Journal 4th.

### Personal.

Mr. Harry White will leave tomorrow for New Orleans, where he will be engaged in business for the present.

Mrs. Jefferson Aitcheson delightfully entertained the Matinee Euchre Club at her residence, No. 511 Oronoco street, last night, in honor of her guest, Miss Saunders, of Baltimore.

Judge J. K. M. Norton is on a short hunting trip in North Carolina.

Mrs. Fountain Beattie, wife of Captain Fountain Beattie of the U. S. revenue service, who was stricken with paralysis at her home in Fairfax county, near Linconia postoffice, several weeks ago, is thought to be slightly improving.

Miss Harriette Southworth and Miss Berthe Miller, of Rappahannock, who have been visiting relatives and friends in this city and Washington, have returned to their schools in Page county.

Mr. Charles R. Smith, oiler on the ferry steamer Woodbury, was married to Miss Maggie A. Bland last night at Grace Church rectory by Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

### Railway Improvements.

The tugboat D. M. Key left a day or two ago with a large steam hoisting machine in tow for Little Hunting creek, a short distance above Mount Vernon. The machine is owned by McMillian & McDermott, and is to be used in the construction of a new trestle across the creek which is being built for the electric railway. The entire grade of the road is being changed for about two miles. The barge Farmer's Friend, Capt. Wm. Sisson, has landed several thousand railway ties at Little Hunting creek.

### Methodist Protestant Church

A motion picture entertainment will be given in the lecture room of the Methodist Protestant Church Tuesday, January 16th, at 8 p. m. This set of pictures will be produced for the first time in this city In addition to this there will be illustrated songs, and colored views on the Life of Christ. The entertainment promises an evening of pleasure and enjoyment to all who attend.

### Donation Party.

As was stated yesterday, the donation party of the Co-operative Charities Association will be held tomorrow from 10 a. m. until 1 p. m. in Lee Camp Hall. It is hoped the affair will meet with a generous response.

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

A meeting of Alexandria Lodge of Elks will be held tonight.

The January term of the Corporation Court will begin on Monday next.

The handsome calendar gotten out by Messrs. Leadbeater & Sons is much in demand.

A citizen of Alexandria who is 59 years old has spent 45 of those years in married life and is the father of 18 children—6 by his first and 12 by his second wife.

A pole supporting the wires of the electric railway fell on Royal street, between Duke and Wolfe, early this morning, and for an hour or more no trains were run on the Mount Vernon division.

Service of prayer for the Women's Auxiliary of the three Episcopal churches will be held in Grace Church Friday, the 5th, at 4 p. m.—the eve of the Feast of the Epiphany.

Last night was rainy, and but few people were on the streets. The heavens became clear this morning and fine weather followed.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oyster fried stew or raw. Free lunch—hot sausages C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

### Forced to Starve.

B F. Leek, of Concord, Ky., says: "For 20 years I suffered agonies, with a sore on my upper lip, so painful, sometimes, that I could not eat. After vainly trying everything else, I cured it with Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's great for burns, cuts and wounds. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; only 25c.

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MEMBERS OF ALEXANDRIA LODGE, NO., 758, B. P. O. E., are notified to attend a special meeting to be held at the hall TONIGHT at 8 o'clock to take suitable action in reference to the death of Brother Daniel Ruben. By order of the E. R
1t GEORGE T. CATON, Secretary.

MEMBERS OF ALEXANDRIA-WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 22, A., F. & A. M., are notified to assemble at Masonic Temple TOMORROW (Friday) AFTERNOON at 1 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late Bro., Daniel Ruben. Members of Andrew Jackson Lodge and all Master Masons in good standing are invited. By order of the Senior Warden, JAS. S. DOUGLAS, Secretary.

LOST.—Between shop and Episcopal High School a BAG OF TOOLS. Return to JAS. B HUGHES & SON, 106 south Washington street and receive reward. 1t*

LOST.—Saturday afternoon on King or Washington streets SEAL SKIN SCARF. Reward if returned to 131 north Washington street. jan4 3t*

POTATOES.

300 bushels Virginia raised Potatoes for sale by THOMAS PERRY & CO. jan4 3t

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

Household Goods at Public Auction.

I will sell at public auction at No. 321 King street on MONDAY MORNING, January 8, the household effects of the late Mrs. L. G. Chewning, consisting of Furniture, Stoves, Queensware, Bedding, Carpets, &c. Sale will commence at 10 o'clock.
jan4 td C. P. MAHOOD, Executor.

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By Thos. L. Carter, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF FRAME DWELLING.

FRAME HOUSE, No. 1005 Gibbon street, will be sold at public auction, in front of the premises, on SATURDAY NEXT, January 6, at 12 o'clock m. The house contains six rooms, kitchen, pantry and wardrobes, and is in splendid condition, being comparatively new. jan2 4t

FOR RENT.—A STABLE suitable for a private carriage or light delivery wagon. Apply at 217 north Alfred street. jan3 3t*

SUN DRIED APPLES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

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Our annual Sale of White Goods, now in progress, affords an opportunity of securing high-grade materials at very attractive prices.

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Heretofore we have only displayed their cloths and napkins, now we include Embroidered Linen Bedspreads, Embroidered Linen Bed Sheets, Embroidered Linen Tea Cloths and Embroidered Linen Cushion Covers.

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36-inch English Nainsook; extra value.
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36-inch Hemstitched Damask Tea Cloths, good quality.
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If you have the time and the inclination to hunt among these left-overs, you will find one of the best gatherings of odds and ends, short lengths, one-of-a-kind things and the like that has ever been offered here—and at prices that will prove very attractive. And while this sale includes Handkerchiefs, Aprons, Hosiery, Towels, Books, Toys and other things, smirched or crushed from handling or doing duty as holiday decorations, it also includes short lengths, odd sizes, broken lots, etc., of Dress Goods, Silks, Ribbons, Laces, Linens, Underwear, Chinaware, Glassware and the like—highly desirable goods of this season's production for personal and home uses, among which are many splendid and genuine bargains.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING QUALIfied as executrix of William Jackson Summers, deceased, all persons having claims against his estate are notified to present the same properly authenticated for payment and all persons indebted to said estate to settle the same.

VIRGINIA STROTHER SUMMERS,
d-c28 2w Executrix.

NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS SECURED AND UNSECURED OF THE MOUNT VERNON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Commissioner's Office,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 30, 1905.

Take notice. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria city, Va., rendered on the 6th day of November, 1905, in the chancery cause of Francis J. Davidson vs. the Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company et als, the undersigned has fixed upon

TUESDAY,

the 23rd day of January, 1906,

at my office, 118 south Fairfax street, at 10 o'clock a. m., as the time and place where I will proceed to carry out the terms of the said decree, whereby I am required to ascertain and report to the court as follows:

"To ascertain and report all claims secured and unsecured against the Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company, their amounts and priorities thereof. To ascertain and report all the assets and property of the said company; what assets and property of said company came into the possession of J. M. Hill and Henry Bauder, and what disposition has been made of the same and the value thereof at the time the said assets and property was received; the trust alleged and set up in the bill of complaint and the amount of the liabilities of the said company at the time said trust was created, and all other matters and things any party to this cause may request him to report upon, or that the said commissioner may consider necessary for the settlement and winding up of the affairs of the said company." On which day and at the said hour you are requested to attend.

EUGENE P. TAYLOR,
dec30 td Commissioner in Chancery.

OFFICE OF J. R. ZIMMERMAN,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 30, 1905.

Having disposed of my coal business, payment will be received of all bills until January 15, 1906, at my office on St. Asaph street. I trust all who are indebted to me will endeavor to settle by the time named.

dec30 3t J. R. ZIMMERMAN.

IN DISCONTINUING our business from this date, we wish to notify the public that we have sold our stock of coal and wood and our GOOD WILL to MESSRS. W. A. SMOOT & CO., of this city.

We desire to take this opportunity to sincerely thank our many friends for the support extended to us in the past and to earnestly solicit from them a continuance of the same for the above named firm.

J. R. ZIMMERMAN.
Alexandria, Virginia, December 30, 1905.

## MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the POTOMAC STONE COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, January 18, 1906, at 2 p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

CHARLES G. SMITH, JR.,
dec30 w3w-s Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the W. T. WALKER BRICK CO. will be held at 11 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, January 17, 1906, in the principal office of the company, Arlington, Va., for the purpose of electing a president and directors and transaction of other business. By order of the president.

CHAS. J. WALKER, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of stockholders of the MERCANTILE-RAILWAY BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, of Alexandria, Va., will be held THURSDAY, January 18, 1906, at 10 a. m., at the office of the company, corner Prince and Fairfax streets. LEWIS HOOFF, Secretary.
jan3 td

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## MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GRAND OPERA HOUSE COMPANY will be held at the offices of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, January 8, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.
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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the EMERSON STEAM PUMP COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Alexandria, on MONDAY, January 8, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. BRUCE EMERSON, Secretary.
dec23 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the CONSOLIDATED QUARRY COMPANY for the election of directors will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. on MONDAY, January 8, 1906, at 3:15 p. m.

H. P. GILBERT, President.
J. C. PRATT, Secretary.
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THE THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL meeting of the INDEPENDENT MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Fairfax county, Va., will be held in the company's office, 119½ south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, the 8th day of January, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

dec27 td C. LUKENS, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the IOWA APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY, for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the McLACHLEN REAL ESTATE AND LOAN COMPANY for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m.

JAMES F. HOOD, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ONTARIO APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company at No. 123 south Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.
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CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 14, 1905.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank, for the election of directors, will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 12 m.

dec14lawtd W. F. LAMBERT, Cashier.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the R. E. SHEDD & BRO. CO. will be held at the office of James R. Caton, esq., Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and for the transaction of any business as may be properly presented at that time.

dec23 td C. C. LACEY, Secretary.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 12, 1905.

The annual election of directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 9, 1906, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock p. m.

C. R. HOOFF, President.

Alexandria, Va., December 5, 1905.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK of Alexandria, Virginia, will be held in the office of the said bank on TUESDAY, January 9th, between the hours of one and three o'clock, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the stockholders.

dec12 td T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS of the by-laws, notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the NEW WASHINGTON BRICK COMPANY, for the election of nine directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the company's office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on the first Thursday after the second Monday, being the eleventh day of January, 1906, at noon. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock m. to 1 o'clock p. m.

T. L. HOLBROOK, President.
WM. F. MATTINGLY, Secretary.
dec27 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PAPER MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at its principal office in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, 111 south Fairfax street, on MONDAY, the 15th day of January, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m.

JOHN B. THOMAS, Secretary.
dec30 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the DULIN & MARTIN COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, January 16, 1906, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

jan1 td T. C. DULIN, Secretary.

THE stockholders of the WASHINGTON NATIONAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION of Washington, D. C., are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the said association will be held at the principal office of the association, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at eleven o'clock a. m., WEDNESDAY, January 17, 1906. By order of the board of directors.

J. C. STODDARD, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the GERMAN CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION, NO. 5, of Alexandria, Va., will be held THURSDAY, January 11, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., at their office, 313 King street. Business: Financial report and election of officers. JUSTUS SCHNEIDER,

dec20 td Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ATLANTIC BUILDING COMPANY for the election of officers and such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, January 18, 1906, at 11 a. m.

LOUIS BEYER, JR., Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA NATIONAL SAND DREDGING COMPANY will be held at the principal office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, January 18, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing the directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

dec28law3w G. A. BONNET, Secretary.

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# Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 4, 1906.


### Senator Depew.

"I have no intention whatever of resigning from the United States Senate," said Senator Chauncey M Depew, when told of the action of Senator Brackett yesterday. "Why should I resign? I intend now to do my real work in the Senate. Have you ever faced any of these rumors which said I intend to resign, and have you ever had anyone to give any reason why I should resign? I will on April 23 reach my seventy-second birthday. By that time I hope to resign from all the companies in which I am connected as director. In all, I am a director in 79 companies. My position here is an honorary one, and I intend to keep it. I never have had any intention of resigning from the United States Senate, and have never been requested by anyone to resign. As soon as I resign from all the companies with which I am connected I will be able then to do my real work in the Senate, as I expect to work harder than ever before. I leave tomorrow for Washington to be present at the opening of the Senate, and will remain there permanently during the session, only perhaps to run into New York once a week or so."

### Chinese Coolies

The exporation of indentured Chinese coolies from China has grown within the last year into a big industry. Consul-General Ragsdale, of Tientsin, says that 50,000 have been sent to the Transvaal mines in that time. The companies that collected them would be willing to take a contract to furnish laborers for the Panama canal project.

While waiting for the transports for south Africa the coolie, for the first time in his life, does no work, and has not a care, is clean and has all the food and tea he wishes. He is given no opium and no Chinese spirits. The change in him is marvelous. Without vices, he is feared in the labor markets by the white man for his virtues and economy.

### Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one for four weeks when I was was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by Electric Bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure, stomach, liver and kidney disorders; at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; price 50

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Our 50c Ties are as pretty as can be found at a much higher price Our 25c Goods are proportionately good.

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Embroidered 5c, 10c, 12½c to 25c each.

Plain, Pure Linen, for ladies, ⅛ and ¼ inch hem at 12½c to 25c.

Plain, Pure Linen, for gentlemen, ½ inch hem, at 12½c to 25c.

These goods are direct from the importer and are exceptionally good.

Handkerchiefs for both ladies and gentlemen, 5c and 10c.

Silk Handkerchiefs, 25c and 50c.

SILK MUFFLERS, 50c, 75c $1.00, $1.25, $1.39 to $1.50 each.

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Ladies' special value, warranted Kid Gloves, at $1.00 to $1.25.

Gentlemen's Dress Gloves, at $1.00 and $1.50.

—ALSO—

Full Line Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Suspenders, Hosiery, &c.

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## N. Y. Tri-Weekly Tribune.

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Combination offer. Harper's Bazar, with The Tri-Weekly Tribune, one year, $1.65; the Metropolitan Magazine, with The Tri-Weekly Tribune, one year, $1 65. All three for $2 50.

## N. Y Tribune Almanac.

For 25 cents a year this publication supplies you with a marvellous amount of information. The 1906 one will be on sale January 1, and may be had from your newsdealer, or from The Tribune Office, New York.

## N. Y. Tribune Weekly Review.

The Tribune Weekly Review is a handsome sixteen page weekly issued by The New York Tribune Association. It costs five cents a copy, but may be had for a whole year for $1. It gives the essence of the week's news, with clean cuts, sane and intelligent comment, and it keeps you up to date on everything worth knowing in politics (domestic and foreign) and in literature, art and music. For free sample copy send a postal card to The Tribune, New York.

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## New-York Daily Tribune.

If you are looking for a daily history of the world, carefully collated and sifted and presented in the most attractive form that the facts and the laws of good taste will permit, you cannot make any mistake in reading The Tribune every day. It contains special articles on nearly every subject which is supposed to interest intelligent and clean-minded people. With The Sunday Tribune goes a handsome Illustrated Supplement and a Magazine, with colored covers, equal to anything sold for ten cents.

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Neckpieces and Muffs make acceptable holiday gifts, and we offer them at prices fully 1-3 less than the furrier would charge you.

## Table Linens.

New Linens of the best weaves and most desirable kind.

We have especially prepared for holiday shoppers, and offer attractive prices in Table Wear and Towels.

35c Bleached Table Damask, 62 inches wide; per yard.....25c
62-inch, all linen, Table Damask, 65c quality; per yard.....50c
90c Bleached Table Damask.....75c
72-inch Bleached Table Damask, $1.35 grade, very fine, per yard...$1.10
$2 25 quality Bleached Table Damask special, per yard.....$1.75
Napkins to match, 75c to $5 per doz.

## Extra Values in Towels.

Heavy union line Huck Towels at 10c, 15c and 20c.

Extra weight and size in Turkish Bath Towels, worth 35c for 25c, $2 85 per dozen.

## Trunk and Suit Cases.

A most suitable gift, and we are showing them in a number of styles. They are most reasonably priced, $1 to $25.

## Art Squares and Rugs.

The goods are all of the highest grade, of the most reliable makes.

18-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs ....68c
21-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs.....98c
27-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs.....$1.38
30-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs.....$1 88
36-inch, all wool Smyrna Rugs...$2.48
4x7 feet Rugs.....$3 98
9x14, all wool Ingrain, Art Square, $9
9x12, Axminster, Art Square.....$23.50
9x12, Smyrna, Art Square.....$19.75

## A Few Suggestions for Gifts from It is Holiday Stock.

Fancy Dresden China Ware, Pictures, Picture Frames, Art Figures, Gold Plated Novelties neatly boxed, Dress Patterns, Hosiery, Hats, Umbrellas, Neckwear and Fancy Suspenders, neatly boxed. And fancy articles too numerous to mention.

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## FINANCIAL

A thought for New Year's week! Devote an hour of careful thought to your New Year's resolutions. Do not be among those who think resolutions are valueless because some are broken. Cultivate the habit of carefulness and thoughtfulness and deposit your savings with the Virginia Safe Deposit & Trust Corporation. Money so deposited will be absolutely safe and your banking business will receive every attention. Start the New Year right by opening an account in our Savings Department and we will help you by paying an interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on same. Remember the resolution to save means not only the accumulation of money, BUT THE FORMATION AND STRENGTHENING OF CHARACTER. Nine times out of ten the man who begins to save stops some kind of foolishness. Economy means giving up something and the wise man usually manages to give up that which is bad for him. The saving of money means independence in the future and better use of time in the present. Think this over today. Think of your own case. Look at the men about you who had the strength of character to save. The way is simple, BEGIN AT ONCE and you will appreciate this advice on January 1, 1907. We invite you to call and talk this matter over with us.

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## AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, MACHINERY AND OTHER FIXTURES LOCATED IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA, AND USED AS A BRICK PLANT.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated November 6, 1886, and recorded November 9, 1886, in book G, No. 4, at page 404, of the land records of the county of Alexandria, State of Virginia, and by reason of default having been made under said deed of trust, and upon the written request of the party secured thereby, I will on

THURSDAY,
the first day of February, 1906,

at 3 o'clock p. m., on the premises, at Brick Haven, in said county, sell at public auction the property described in said deed of trust, except that portion heretofore conveyed to the Washington-Southern Railway Company; said property securing said deed of trust is described as follows: ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND lying in Alexandria county, Virginia, between the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road and the Potomac river, and known as the Columbia Brick Yards, now known as the Jackson-Phillips Brick Company's yards, with the following metes and bounds: Beginning at the intersection of the east side of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road, with the land now or lately owned by Hunter; thence E. 23 4 poles chains and 49 links to a point B, as designated on the plat of survey made in 1890 by Caleb Hallowell, for a former owner, Mrs. Virginia Scott, reference to which is hereby made; thence S 76 degrees E. 21 chains 27 links to C, a point on the shore of the Potomac at about high water mark (passing at 21.08 a small sycamore which bears N. 69½ degrees E. 1.10 from a willow); thence up the shore and along the water's edge (the tide being up), as follows: N. 41½ degrees E. 4; N. 32½ degrees E. 3.81; N 2½ degrees E. 1.36; N. 35 degrees W. 4.19; N. 30½ degrees W. 6.08; N. 42½ degrees W. 1.52; N. 78½ degrees W. 2.74; N. 35½ degrees W. 1.36; S. 86 degrees W 4.75; N. 73½ degrees W. 2.73 to a marked elm; thence N. 31½ degrees W. 11.35 N. 5½ degrees W. 3.94 to a large white oak D; thence S. 76½ degrees W. 7.90 to E, a point on a small stream supposed to be where a certain willow stood; thence S. 83½ degrees W. 12 37 to a stake on the east side of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road "F," thence S. 6½ degrees W. 23.50 along said road to the beginning, containing 96 acres, 3 roods and 21 perches, more or less, together with all the buildings, machinery and all fixtures and appurtenances connected with or in anywise appertaining to the aforesaid buildings. The property excepted from the above as referred to as having been conveyed to the Washington-Southern Railway Company is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the line dividing land of Jackson-Phillips Brick Company and New Washington Brick Company, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the new alignment of the Washington-Southern Railway at "Station 1402—23.3 of said new centre line; thence along said dividing line N. 85 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds W. 75.2 feet to a point; thence by a line parallel with and 75 feet distant from the said new centre line in a northeasterly direction 1540.1 feet to a point in the line dividing land of Jackson-Phillips Brick Company and J. F. and M. E. Cullinane; thence along said dividing line N. 89 degrees 05 minutes E. 43.7 feet to a point; thence N. 80 degrees 50 minutes E. 119 3 feet, crossing the said new centre line at station 1417.73 to a point; thence by a line parallel with and 75 feet distant from the said new centre line in a southwestwardly direction 1575.6 feet to a point in the line dividing land of Jackson-Phillips Brick Company and New Washington Brick Company; thence along said dividing line N. 85 degrees 44 minutes 30 seconds W. 75.2 feet to the place of beginning, containing 5,362 a res, according to a plat and survey made by H. W. Stamper, jr, assistant engineer.

The above property to be sold is now known as the Jackson-Phillips Brick Company yards and includes all machinery and appurtenances now used in the manufacture of brick, and also a number of employees' houses.

Terms of Sale: 20 per cent of the purchase money in cash and the balance 20 per cent. every six months to be secured by deed of trust on the property, bearing interest at 6 per cent. from day of sale. A deposit of $1,000 required at time of sale.

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## RAILROADS

### SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective December 1, 1905.
Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Parlor cars week days Washington to Pinehurst. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9:23, 9 33 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:51 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:51 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

H. B. SPENCER, General Manager.
S. H. HARDWICK, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
W. H. TAYLOE, Gen. Passenger Agent.
L. S. BROWN, General Agent.
Washington, D. C.

### Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect Nov. 26, 1905.

Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 51 a. m., 12 21, 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 51 a. m., 12 21, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5.07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 06 a. m., 3 59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 56 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 32 p m. except Saturdays.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

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### Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1905

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For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00